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This publication contains statistics dealing with industrial accidents in Victoria, reported to the Government Statist during 1964-65, with comparative tables showing figures for 1962-63 and 1963-64.

It should be noted that tables in this publication have been prepared on the basis of the Workers Compensation Act, 1958, which was in force before the introduction of changes with the Workers Compensation (Amendment) Act, 1965. This Act came into operation on 1st July, 1965. A short history of Workers Compensation legislation in Victoria appears on page 3.

An Appendix has been included to provide information concerning accidents occurring on journey to and from employment or during a recess period, as well as disease cases.

The statistics are based on data obtained from insurance companies which insure against workers' compensation, and from several organizations with approved workers' compensation schemes. The Workers Compensation Regulations require approved insurers (and schemes) to submit to the Government Statist a report on each claim for workers' compensation, when the claim is closed, or at the expiry of 3 years if the claim is unclosed at the end of that time. At present, the collection is restricted to fatal cases, and to those where the worker was incapacitated for work for a period of one week or more.

The method of collection used has imposed certain restrictions and qualifications on the resulting tables appearing in this bulletin. Subject especially to the qualification that references to provisions under the Act relate to the Act prior to amendment in 1965, these restrictions and qualifications should be carefully noted, and may be summarized as follows :-

- (a) Although the term "Industrial Accident" is used, the collection actually represents workers' compensation claims finalised during the year concerned, and is subject to the limitations expressed by the Workers Compensation Act. The accidents to which the claims refer may have occurred in the year the claim was finalised or at some previous date.
- (b) In accordance with the provisions of the Act prior to amendment in 1965, the definition of "Worker" excluded any person employed whose remuneration exceeded \$4,000 per annum. Although some employers do insure against liability for employees whose income exceeds the amount specified in the Act, it is not mandatory to do so, and consequently some employees in this category will not be included in the tabulations.
- (c) Commonwealth employees are excluded from the provisions of the Act, and consequently some industry classifications are not covered at all whilst coverage is reduced in some other instances (e.g., Defence Services and Communications).
- (d) Self-employed persons are likewise excluded and therefore industrial accidents occurring to them will not appear in the statistics. This is likely to have considerable effect when considering, for instance, rural industries.
- (e) The Act provides for compensation for injury arising on journey to or from employment, or during a recess period. Details of such claims have been excluded from the tables in the main body of this publication, but have been shown separately in the Appendix.
- (f) Disease claims shown separately in the Appendix, exclude cases where the disease has been precipitated or aggravated by an accidental event.

The tables listed in this bulletin are in the form of summary tables; tables under detailed headings for industry, accident factor, and nature of injury have been prepared, however, and the information shown in them is available on request.

Definitions, etc.

1. Industrial Accident. For the purpose of this collection, the following definition has been applied:- "An Industrial Accident is a compensated work injury causing death, permanent disability, or absence of the injured person from work for one week or more, excluding journey cases, cases occurring during a recess period, and all disease cases except where the disease is considered to be precipitated or aggravated by an accidental event."
2. Industry Group. In Victoria, employers are rated for the purpose of workers compensation premiums according to the type of business conducted, a premium being fixed for each "trade". For the purpose of this bulletin, all employees, regardless of occupation, take the "trade" classification of their employer with the exception of clerical workers and domestics. When the list of "trades" was compiled by insurers, it was allied closely with the industry classification used for the 1947 Census. Accordingly, the industry groups shown in this bulletin approximate those used for Census purposes. However, as "Communication" employees are almost exclusively employed by the Commonwealth, and are consequently exempt from the provisions of the State Act, the remaining small numbers have been included with "Transport". Another variation is that "Finance" employees, whose work is normally of a clerical nature, have been included with "Other" industry together with clerical workers generally, who are subject to a special premium rate distinct from that charged for the industry in which they are employed. It should also be noted, that because of the very small numbers involved, tables in Part 2 (Females) include in the Industry Group "Other", figures relating to the Primary, Mining, Electricity, Building and Transport and Communication groups.
3. Accident Factor. The various accident factors considered have been listed in Tables 14 and 26. "Accident Factor" should not be interpreted as "Cause of Accident". In general it has been defined as "that underlying agency, other than human failing, which appears to contribute most materially to an accident, and which would be most likely to receive attention in efforts to prevent the occurrence of similar accidents".
4. Injury Site. In most cases the injury has been allocated to that part of the body affected by the injury. However, since effects of poisons, electrocutions, effects of weather etc., cannot be assigned in most cases to any particular site, they have been included in the heading "General and Unspecified".
5. Headings. For reasons of space it has been necessary to abbreviate many of the headings used, but detailed lists are available for inspection at this Office.

NOTE: Where figures have been rounded in this publication, any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

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HISTORY OF WORKERS COMPENSATION LEGISLATION

The first Workers Compensation legislation in Victoria was passed in 1914 to give certain industrial workers and their dependants the right to claim limited compensation from their employer, without proof of negligence or breach of statutory duty by the employer, in respect of accidental injuries sustained by them arising out of and in course of their employment.

Since the passing of the original legislation the class of persons entitled to benefit, the scope of employment, the types of injuries included, and the extent of the benefits have all been greatly widened by frequent amendments, which were consolidated by the Workers Compensation Act 1958.

The Workers Compensation (Amendment) Act 1965, which was proclaimed to operate from 1st July, 1965, further increased benefits, but the definition of "injury" was amended to require employment to be a contributing factor before benefit is payable for any disease or for the recurrence, aggravation, or acceleration of any pre-existing injury or disease.

As the law now stands, any worker whose remuneration does not exceed \$6,000 a year, excluding overtime, is included, and such worker is also protected whilst travelling to and from work and during recess periods. The extent of the benefits is seen from the following summary:-

- (1) Where death results from the injury: If the worker leaves a widow or any children under sixteen years of age or any dependant wholly dependent on his earnings - the sum of \$9,000 plus \$200 for each such child. If the worker leaves dependants only partially dependent on his earnings, the amount of compensation shall be such sum (not exceeding \$9,000) as is awarded by the Workers Compensation Board.
- (2) Where total incapacity for work results from the injury: The compensation for total incapacity of an adult worker is a weekly payment during incapacity of \$20 in respect of the worker plus \$6 for his wife or relative standing in loco parentis to the children if the wife or relative is wholly or mainly dependent on the earnings of the worker, plus \$2.50 for each dependent child under sixteen years of age.

The total weekly payment in respect of the worker, his wife, and children is limited to his average weekly earnings or \$31 per week whichever is the lesser and the whole amount payable is limited to \$10,000 unless the Workers Compensation Board otherwise determines.

- (3) Costs of medical, hospital, and other services: In addition to compensation payable for death or for incapacity, the employer is liable to pay the reasonable costs of all medical, hospital, and other treatment services necessitated through the injury, to an unlimited amount.

Compulsory Insurance

It is obligatory on every employer (with the exception of certain schemes approved by the Board) to obtain from the State Accident Insurance Office, or from an insurance company approved by the Governor in Council, a policy of accident insurance for the full amount of his liability under the Act.

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PART 1 - MALES

TABLE 1
VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Industry Group	Number of Accidents					
	Fatal			Non-Fatal		
	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
Primary	8	5	6	1,868	1,700	1,714
Mining and Quarrying	2	1	..	212	150	212
Manufacturing	14	9	6	12,764	13,376	12,987
Electricity, Gas, Water, Sanitary	..	..	..	243	260	283
Building and Construction	7	13	13	3,606	3,816	3,763
Transport, Storage and Communication	6	2	6	1,721	1,592	1,840
Commerce	7	4	2	3,530	3,879	3,559
Community Services, &c.	5	3	2	1,281	1,441	1,338
Amusements, Personal Services, &c.	..	1	1	732	801	759
Govt., Semi-Govt., Finance and Other	9	18	11	4,073	5,198	3,860
Total	58	56	47	30,030	32,213	30,315

TABLE 2
VICTORIA - MALES : COST OF CLAIMS FOR
FATAL ACCIDENTS, 1962-63 TO 1964-65
(£)

Year	Cost of Claims	
	Total	Average Per Claim
1962-63	343,614	5,924
1963-64	346,890	6,194
1964-65	270,750	5,761

TABLE 3
VICTORIA - MALES : PERIOD OF INCAPACITY AND COST OF CLAIMS FOR NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Industry Group	Period of Incapacity (Weeks)						Cost of Claims					
	Total			Average Per Accident			Total (£'000)			Average Per Claim (£)		
	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
Primary	8,734	7,524	7,647	4.7	4.4	4.5	401	338	375	215	199	219
Mining and Quarrying	867	569	922	4.1	3.8	4.3	56	44	47	264	293	222
Manufacturing	47,234	48,403	46,496	3.7	3.6	3.6	2,832	3,015	3,287	222	225	253
Electricity, Gas, Water, Sanitary	1,109	928	902	4.6	3.6	3.2	45	54	54	181	208	191
Building and Construction	14,665	15,581	14,849	4.1	4.1	3.9	823	974	977	229	255	260
Transport, Storage and Communication	6,356	6,172	6,767	3.7	3.9	3.7	267	287	333	156	180	181
Commerce	12,096	13,692	11,687	3.4	3.5	3.3	569	713	558	161	184	157
Community Services, &c.	5,645	5,704	5,793	4.4	4.0	4.3	251	270	307	195	187	229
Amusements, Personal Services, &c.	3,211	3,988	3,326	4.4	5.0	4.4	148	187	131	202	233	173
Govt., Semi-Govt., Finance and Other	16,196	20,176	15,623	4.0	3.9	4.0	855	1,037	804	210	199	208
Total	116,113	122,737	114,012	3.9	3.8	3.8	6,248	6,918	6,872	208	215	227

NOTE: Consideration should be given to the qualifications and definitions on pages 1 and 2.

TABLE 4
VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY ACCIDENT FACTOR,
1962-63 TO 1964-65

Accident Factor	1962-63		1963-64		1964-65	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Machinery	6	3,445	5	3,621	4	3,626
Vehicles	18	1,513	20	1,625	24	1,736
Electricity, Explosions, Hot Objects	4	714	4	834	4	725
Harmful Substances	1	175	2	195	1	186
Falling, Slipping	6	6,550	15	7,092	4	6,157
Striking against or Stepping on	1	1,615	..	1,660	1	1,388
Handling Objects	20	11,737	4	12,487	5	12,500
Handtools	..	2,793	1	3,262	..	2,755
Other and Unspecified	2	1,488	5	1,437	4	1,242
Total	58	30,030	56	32,213	47	30,315

TABLE 5
VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY SITE OF INJURY,
1962-63 TO 1964-65

Site of Injury	1962-63		1963-64		1964-65	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Head	15	966	20	1,042	13	962
Eye	..	793	..	831	..	801
Neck (Incl. Vertebral Column)	4	695	..	797	1	860
Trunk	17	7,908	19	8,552	16	8,315
Arm	1	3,588	..	3,855	..	3,598
Hand	..	7,950	..	8,418	..	7,941
Leg	3	5,063	..	5,569	..	4,867
Foot	..	2,910	..	3,009	..	2,851
General and Unspecified	18	157	17	140	17	120
Total	58	30,030	56	32,213	47	30,315

TABLE 6
VICTORIA - MALES : ACCIDENT FACTOR BY INDUSTRY GROUP, 1964-65

Accident Factor	Primary		Mining and Quarrying		Manu- fact- uring		Elec- tricity, Gas, Water, Sanitary		Building and Construc- tion		Transport, Storage and Comm- unication		Commerce		Community Services &c.		Amuse- ments, Personal Services, &c.		Govt., Semi- Govt., Finance and Other		Total	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Machinery	..	189	..	24	2	2,540	..	8	2	267	..	82	..	242	..	89	..	42	..	143	4	3,626
Vehicles	2	154	..	19	1	346	..	22	4	144	5	205	1	255	2	126	..	27	9	438	24	1,736
Electricity, Explosions, Hot Objects	..	14	..	3	1	445	..	7	1	57	..	7	1	51	..	26	..	37	1	78	4	725
Harmful Substances	..	6	..	4	..	95	..	..	1	25	..	5	..	21	..	10	..	5	..	15	1	186
Falling, Slipping	..	310	..	32	1	1,981	..	75	2	936	..	498	..	731	..	316	1	191	..	1,087	4	6,157
Striking against or Stepping on	..	60	..	6	..	629	..	18	1	191	..	63	..	168	..	66	..	25	..	162	1	1,388
Handling Objects	2	561	..	94	..	5,583	..	134	2	1,606	1	883	..	1,387	..	563	..	220	..	1,469	5	12,500
Handtools	..	218	..	26	..	1,023	..	10	..	430	..	46	..	590	..	98	..	46	..	268	..	2,755
Other and Unspecified	2	202	..	4	1	345	..	9	..	107	..	51	..	114	..	44	..	166	1	200	4	1,242
Total	6	1,714	..	212	6	12,987	..	283	13	3,763	6	1,840	2	3,559	2	1,338	1	759	11	3,860	47	30,315

F. Fatal. NF. Non-Fatal.

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Accident factor is described in further detail in Table 14.

TABLE 7
VICTORIA - MALES : SITE OF INJURY BY INDUSTRY GROUP, 1964-65

Site of Injury	Industry Group																					
	Primary		Mining and Quarrying		Manu- facturing		Elect- ricity, Gas, Water, Sanitary		Building and Construc- tion		Transport, Storage and Comm- unication		Commerce		Community Services, &c.		Amuse- ments, Personal Services, &c.		Govt., Semi- Govt., Finance and Other		Total	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Head	1	65	..	8	2	330	..	10	6	121	2	94	..	94	..	47	..	29	2	164	13	962
Eye	..	60	..	7	..	393	..	6	..	104	..	32	..	72	..	28	..	10	..	89	..	801
Neck (Incl. Vertebral Column)	1	59	..	3	..	307	..	14	..	105	..	52	..	104	..	60	..	34	..	122	1	860
Trunk	3	379	..	73	2	3,298	..	82	3	1,053	3	576	1	986	1	441	1	189	2	1,238	16	8,315
Arm	..	254	..	24	..	1,479	..	40	..	444	..	230	..	416	..	173	..	110	..	428	..	3,598
Hand	..	434	..	40	..	4,185	..	57	..	915	..	265	..	1,069	..	229	..	164	..	583	..	7,941
Leg	..	322	..	30	..	1,614	..	53	..	640	..	401	..	556	..	244	..	170	..	837	..	4,867
Foot	..	134	..	24	..	1,344	..	21	..	362	..	182	..	252	..	109	..	49	..	374	..	2,851
General and Unspecified	1	7	..	3	2	37	..	..	4	19	1	8	1	10	1	7	..	4	7	25	17	120
Total	6	1,714	..	212	6	12,987	..	283	13	3,763	6	1,840	2	3,559	2	1,338	1	759	11	3,860	47	30,315

TABLE 8
VICTORIA - MALES : ACCIDENT FACTOR BY SITE OF INJURY, 1964-65

Accident Factor	Site of Injury																			
	Head		Eye		Neck(Incl. Vertebral Column)		Trunk		Arm		Hand		Leg		Foot		General and Unspecified		Total	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Machinery	2	84	..	210	..	29	2	200	..	315	..	2,424	..	185	..	178	..	1	4	3,626
Vehicles	6	182	..	24	1	51	7	339	..	260	..	372	..	314	..	180	10	14	24	1,736
Electricity, Explosions, Hot Objects	..	73	..	31	..	8	1	38	..	105	..	164	..	104	..	169	3	33	4	725
Harmful Substances	..	9	..	54	..	1	..	4	..	16	..	36	..	15	..	17	1	34	1	186
Falling, Slipping	3	199	..	6	..	180	1	1,665	..	938	..	390	..	2,462	..	314	..	3	4	6,157
Striking against or Stepping on	1	92	..	11	..	14	..	96	..	259	..	276	..	418	..	220	..	2	1	1,388
Handling Objects	..	222	..	187	..	487	3	5,422	..	1,248	..	2,494	..	885	..	1,554	2	1	5	12,500
Handtools	..	47	..	118	..	36	..	283	..	315	..	1,585	..	216	..	155	..	..	..	2,755
Other and Unspecified	1	54	..	160	..	54	2	268	..	142	..	200	..	268	..	64	1	32	4	1,242
Total	13	962	..	801	1	860	16	8,315	..	3,598	..	7,941	..	4,867	..	2,851	17	120	47	30,315

F. Fatal. NF Non-Fatal.

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Accident factor is described in further detail in Table 14.

TABLE 9. VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF INJURY, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Type of Injury	1962-63		1963-64		1964-65	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Contusions, Abrasions, Lacerations, Foreign Bodies, &c.	1	12,246	..	13,042	..	12,276
Burns and Scalds	4	1,046	1	1,191	..	1,052
Bone Fractures	12	4,440	11	4,490	6	4,098
Dislocations	1	668	..	744	..	756
Sprains and Strains	2	10,697	1	11,728	..	11,147
Amputations	2	210	..	234	..	230
Concussion	..	193	1	235	..	210
Internal Injury	13	111	16	93	16	76
Effects of Poisons	1	45	2	63	1	46
Effects of Electricity	1	46	3	42	3	33
Other and Unspecified	21	328	21	351	21	391
Total	58	30,030	56	32,213	47	30,315

TABLE 10. VICTORIA - MALES : TYPE OF INJURY BY INDUSTRY GROUP, 1964-65

Type of Injury	Industry Group																					
	Primary		Mining and Quarrying		Manu- facturing		Elect- ricity, Gas, Water, Sanitary		Building and Construc- tion		Transport, Storage and Comm- unication		Commerce		Community Services, &c.		Amuse- ments, Personal Services, &c.		Govt., Semi- Govt., Finance, and Other		Total	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Contusions, Abrasions, Lacerations, Foreign Bodies, &c.	..	794	..	84	..	5,620	..	101	..	1,532	..	669	..	1,548	..	426	..	256	..	1,246	..	12,276
Burns and Scalds	..	25	..	3	..	639	..	7	..	86	..	17	..	111	..	35	..	35	..	94	..	1,052
Bone Fractures	1	225	..	36	..	1,715	..	23	2	587	1	264	..	395	..	173	..	149	2	531	6	4,098
Dislocations	..	63	..	3	..	261	..	9	..	85	..	42	..	94	..	57	..	31	..	111	..	756
Sprains and Strains	..	533	..	73	..	4,348	..	136	..	1,352	..	798	..	1,310	..	597	..	255	..	1,745	..	11,147
Amputations	..	13	..	1	..	142	..	..	..	27	..	5	..	16	..	9	..	5	..	12	..	230
Concussion	..	19	..	1	..	67	..	2	..	24	..	19	..	20	..	15	..	10	..	33	..	210
Internal Injury	3	7	..	3	2	21	..	..	3	17	3	5	1	6	1	..	1	6	2	11	16	76
Effects of Poisons	..	2	..	2	..	20	..	..	1	5	..	2	..	2	..	3	..	3	..	7	1	46
Effects of Electricity	..	1	..	..	1	11	..	..	1	9	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	1	1	7	3	33
Other and Unspecified	2	32	..	6	3	143	..	5	6	39	2	19	1	55	1	21	..	8	6	63	21	391
Total	6	1,714	..	212	6	12,987	..	283	13	3,763	6	1,840	2	3,559	2	1,338	1	759	11	3,860	47	30,315

F. Fatal. NF. Non-Fatal.

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TABLE 11
VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY PERIOD OF
INCAPACITY FOR NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS, 1964-65

Period of Incapacity	Number of Accidents	Time Lost (Weeks)
1 week, but less than 2 weeks	14,331	18,334
2 weeks, " " " 4 "	8,485	22,052
4 " " " " 6 "	3,004	14,130
6 " " " " 8 "	1,802	12,008
8 " " " " 13 "	1,592	15,562
13 " " " " 26 "	737	12,705
26 " " " " 52 "	232	8,180
52 weeks and more	132	11,041
Total	30,315	114,012

TABLE 12
VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY
AGE GROUP, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Age Group (Years)	1962-63		1963-64		1964-65	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Under 20	4	2,537	1	2,758	2	2,783
20 - 29	9	7,191	3	7,516	8	7,154
30 - 39	10	7,899	14	8,053	12	7,324
40 - 49	14	6,266	17	6,915	11	6,548
50 - 59	10	4,514	10	5,121	6	4,757
60 and over	11	1,623	11	1,850	8	1,749
Total	58	30,030	56	32,213	47	30,315

TABLE 13
VICTORIA - MALES : AGE GROUP BY ACCIDENT FACTOR, 1964-65

Age Group (Years)	Accident Factor																			
	Machinery		Vehicles		Electricity, Explosions, Hot Objects		Harmful Substances		Falling, Slipping		Striking against or Stepping on		Handling Objects		Handtools		Other and Unspecified		Total	
	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF	F	NF
Under 20	..	513	2	172	..	91	..	18	..	447	..	141	..	854	..	418	..	129	2	2,783
20 - 29	..	1,054	5	418	..	219	..	49	2	1,297	..	303	..	2,670	..	856	1	288	8	7,154
30 - 39	2	776	4	443	3	168	..	45	..	1,464	..	348	2	3,179	..	582	1	319	12	7,324
40 - 49	..	659	5	360	..	131	1	40	2	1,402	..	303	2	2,934	..	459	1	260	11	6,548
50 - 59	..	454	3	245	1	96	..	26	..	1,091	..	213	1	2,119	..	336	1	177	6	4,757
60 and over	2	170	5	98	..	20	..	8	..	456	1	80	..	744	..	104	..	69	8	1,749
Total	4	3,626	24	1,736	4	725	1	186	4	6,157	1	1,388	5	12,500	..	2,755	4	1,242	47	30,315

F Fatal. NF Non-Fatal.

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Accident factor is described in further detail in Table 14.

TABLE 14
VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY
BY ACCIDENT FACTOR, 1964-65

Accident Factor	F	NF		Accident Factor	F	NF	
	No.	No.	Period of Incapacity		No.	No.	Period of Incapacity
			weeks				weeks
<u>MACHINERY</u>				<u>VEHICLES</u>			
Prime Movers, Pumps				Motor Vehicles	16	854	4,239.0
Engines	..	8	16.0	Trams	1	23	75.8
Pumps	..	17	56.2	Rly Locos.	2	204	1,258.6
<u>Power Transmission</u>				Mine and Quarry			
<u>Apparatus</u>				Trucks	..	18	116.6
Ropes, Belts	..	65	205.4	Bicycles	..	54	252.0
Shafting	..	6	21.0	Aircraft	..	8	22.8
Gears	..	5	25.0	Water Transport	..	26	188.0
<u>Hoisting, Hauling</u>				Animal Drawn			
Hoists, Cranes	1	249	1,288.2	Vehicles	..	10	27.8
Other Lifting Appl.	1	101	358.8	Mobile Cranes	1	32	123.6
Lifts	..	33	197.2	Forklift Trucks	..	139	512.8
<u>Conveyors</u>	..	121	419.0	Tractors	1	147	896.0
<u>Industrial Machines</u>				Bulldozers, Earth-			
Abrasive Grinding,				Working Machines	3	131	643.4
Polishing	..	292	832.0	Other Mobile			
Agitators, Mixers	..	85	278.2	Machinery	..	65	294.4
Casting, Welding	..	184	550.8	Other Vehicles	..	25	72.0
Crushers	..	55	210.2	Total Vehicles	24	1,736	8,722.8
Drilling, Turning				<u>ELECTRICITY,</u>			
(Metal)	..	321	975.0	<u>EXPLOSIONS, HOT</u>			
Drilling (Other)	..	27	72.4	<u>OBJECTS</u>			
Milling	..	63	226.6	Portable Machines,			
Planers (Wood)	..	139	522.4	Appliances	..	6	36.2
Planers (Other)	..	20	97.8	Switchgear,			
Packing	..	28	101.0	Fusegear	1	2	2.4
Opening, Carding	..	17	69.6	Electric Supply Wire	2	23	379.6
Presses (Metal)	..	264	1,123.2	Other Elec.	..	15	55.0
Presses (Printing)	..	28	88.8	Blasting Explosions	..	3	60.0
Presses (Other)	1	150	554.6	Boilers	..	4	11.6
Rolls	..	169	860.0	Gas	..	11	41.2
Saws, Circular				Other Explosions	1	32	347.0
(Wood)	1	163	907.4	Flames and Hot			
Saws, Other (Wood)	..	145	503.4	Objects	..	629	1,753.4
Saws (Metal)	..	22	58.8	Total Electricity,			
Saws (Other)	..	30	131.4	Explosions, Hot	4	725	2,686.4
Screening and				Objects			
Separating Machines	..	4	21.8	<u>HARMFUL SUBSTANCES</u>			
Sewing	..	16	54.4	Solids, Powder	..	35	121.0
Shears (Metal)	..	87	310.4	Gas, Aerosols	1	30	68.8
Shears (Paper)	..	15	47.6	Liquids	..	121	276.0
Shears (Other)	..	70	182.8	Total Harmful			
Rotary Cutters	..	26	68.8	Substances	1	186	465.8
Cutters (Food)	..	66	278.0	<u>FALLING, SLIPPING</u>			
Spinning, Weaving,				<u>On or from -</u>			
Knitting	..	83	315.2	Ladders	..	466	2,683.8
Centrifuges	..	3	5.6	Poles	..	6	69.0
Other Industrial	..	221	815.8	Roofs	1	76	549.6
<u>Farm Equipment</u>				Scaffolding	..	136	1,235.8
Milking, Shearing	..	64	210.0	Stairs or Steps	1	466	1,527.4
Farm Implements	..	37	122.6	Top or Tray of			
Other Farm				Vehicle	1	278	1,298.6
Equipment	..	8	48.2	Other Elevations	1	517	2,741.0
<u>Other Machinery</u>	..	119	431.4	<u>Into Excavations</u>	..	112	475.4
				<u>Jumping, Stepping</u>			
				<u>Down</u>	..	578	2,048.4
				<u>Slipping, etc.</u>			
				<u>Same Level</u>	..	3,522	13,206.8
Total Machinery	4	3,626	13,663.0	Total Falling,	4	6,157	25,835.8
				Slipping			

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VICTORIA - MALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY
BY ACCIDENT FACTOR, 1964-65

Accident Factor	F	NF		Accident Factor	F	NF	
	No.	No.	Period of Incapacity		No.	No.	Period of Incapacity
			weeks				weeks
<u>STRIKING AGAINST OR STEPPING ON</u>				<u>HANDTOOLS-cont.</u>			
Stepping on Sharp Objects	..	171	341.0	Pliers, Pincers	..	11	31.0
Striking Against	1	1,217	3,638.8	Saws	..	77	197.2
				Scissors, Shears	..	26	67.0
Total Striking Against or Stepping on	1	1,388	3,979.8	Screwdrivers	..	33	60.6
				Shovels, Spades	..	174	559.4
<u>HANDLING OBJECTS</u>				Spanners	..	143	474.4
Strain in Handling	..	6,663	27,530.2	Other Hand-operated	..	144	320.0
Struck by, etc.				<u>Power-operated</u>			
Trees, Limbs, Logs	2	134	998.0	Abrasive Grinding,			
Poles	..	23	89.6	Polishing	..	43	162.6
Other Timber	..	547	1,949.6	Chisels	..	2	12.2
Drums and Barrels	..	228	796.4	Drills	..	103	329.4
Boxes and Crates	..	281	845.4	Knives	..	5	9.4
Bricks	..	121	297.6	Riveters	..	8	27.2
Earth, Rock, Sand	2	122	633.6	Saws	..	95	340.2
Hand Trucks, etc.	..	169	614.0	Screwdrivers	..	1	1.4
Other Objects	1	2,966	9,968.6	Soldering Irons	..	5	9.6
<u>Handling Sharp Objects</u>				Explosive Powered	..	3	22.2
Metal	..	494	937.6	Other Power-Operated	..	199	460.6
Glass	..	124	295.2				
Other Sharp Obj.	..	602	1,098.8	Total Handtools	..	2,755	7,600.8
<u>Handling Other</u>	..	26	55.2				
Total Handling Objects	5	12,500	46,109.8	<u>OTHER</u>			
<u>HANDTOOLS</u>				Animals and			
<u>Hand-Operated</u>				Insects	1	377	2,145.2
Axes	..	166	632.4	Cold	..	3	81.0
Blowtorches	..	2	7.0	Exposure to Weather	..	3	7.0
Can Openers	..	7	12.2	Heat	..	11	24.0
Cleavers, and Choppers	..	20	66.6	Immersion	1	..	..
Chisels	..	48	156.2	Radiation	..	1	3.6
Crowbars	..	106	377.2	Vibration	..	1	3.2
Files	..	9	15.8	Other Physical Causes	..	1	2.4
Hammers	..	337	959.6	Pressure Vessels			
Hooks	..	51	132.2	etc. Bursting	..	57	259.4
Knives	..	862	1,935.4	Doors, Windows	..	137	399.2
Needles	..	8	14.4	Flying Particles,			
Pens	..	1	1.0	Dust	..	144	287.4
Picks, Pick Axes, and Hoes	..	66	206.4	Other and Unspecified	2	507	1,735.2
				Total Other	4	1,242	4,947.6
				GRAND TOTAL	47	30,315	114,011.8

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TABLE 15

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Industry Group	Number of Non-Fatal Accidents		
	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
Manufacturing	1,829	1,951	1,950
Commerce	503	582	546
Community Services, &c.	469	615	620
Amusements, Personal Services, &c.	466	509	529
Other, Incl. Govt. and Semi-Govt.	535	651	502
Total	3,802	4,308	4,147

NOTE: One fatal accident was reported in 1962-63, two in 1963-64 and two in 1964-65.

TABLE 16

VICTORIA - FEMALES : PERIOD OF INCAPACITY AND COST OF CLAIMS FOR NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Industry Group	Period of Incapacity (Weeks)						Cost of Claims					
	Total			Average per Accident			Total (\$'000)			Average per Claim (\$)		
	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
Manufacturing	6,848	6,725	6,682	3.7	3.4	3.4	350	313	337	191	160	173
Commerce	2,168	1,893	1,884	4.3	3.3	3.5	60	62	88	119	107	161
Community Services, &c.	2,241	2,832	3,237	4.8	4.6	5.2	92	102	138	196	166	223
Amusements, Personal Services, &c.	1,978	2,336	2,098	4.2	4.6	4.0	72	84	79	155	165	148
Other, Incl. Govt. and Semi-Govt.	2,138	2,688	2,435	4.0	4.1	4.9	64	94	94	120	144	188
Total	15,373	16,474	16,336	4.0	3.8	3.9	638	656	735	168	152	177

NOTE: Consideration should be given to the qualifications and definitions on pages 1 and 2.

TABLE 17

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF
ACCIDENTS BY ACCIDENT FACTOR,
1962-63 TO 1964-65

Accident Factor	1962- 63	1963- 64	1964- 65
Machinery	714	728	772
Vehicles	83	55	68
Electricity, Explosions, Hot Objects	130	155	145
Harmful Substances	27	30	24
Falling, Slipping	987	1,163	1,048
Striking Against or Stepping On	334	375	306
Handling Objects	1,066	1,224	1,326
Handtools	224	275	243
Other & Unspecified	237	303	215
Total	3,802	4,308	4,147

TABLE 18

13.

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF
ACCIDENTS BY SITE OF INJURY,
1962-63 TO 1964-65

Site of Injury	1962- 63	1963- 64	1964- 65
Head	129	125	154
Eye	42	65	44
Neck (Incl. Vertebral Column)	104	154	134
Trunk	664	772	752
Arm	693	742	792
Hand	1,268	1,376	1,316
Leg	610	777	679
Foot	275	284	258
General and Unspecified	17	13	18
Total	3,802	4,308	4,147

TABLE 19

VICTORIA - FEMALES : ACCIDENT FACTOR BY
INDUSTRY GROUP, 1964-65

Accident Factor	Industry Group					
	Manu- facturing	Commerce	Community Services, &c.	Amuse- ments, Personal Services, &c.	Other, Incl. Govt. and Semi-Govt.	Total
Machinery	605	71	31	41	24	772
Vehicles	19	8	10	1	30	68
Electricity, Explosions, Hot Objects	37	9	38	46	15	145
Harmful Substances	14	1	2	5	2	24
Falling, Slipping	291	176	171	206	204	1,048
Striking Against or Stepping On	141	53	44	29	39	306
Handling Objects	616	175	272	138	125	1,326
Handtools	142	29	17	36	19	243
Other & Unspecified	85	24	35	27	44	215
Total	1,950	546	620	529	502	4,147

TABLE 20

VICTORIA - FEMALES : SITE OF INJURY BY
INDUSTRY GROUP, 1964-65

Site of Injury	Industry Group					
	Manu- facturing	Commerce	Community Services, &c.	Amuse- ments, Personal Services, &c.	Other, Incl. Govt. and Semi-Govt.	Total
Head	50	28	20	17	39	154
Eye	32	..	3	2	7	44
Neck (Incl. Vertebral Column)	40	15	38	12	29	134
Trunk	287	94	162	106	103	752
Arm	380	104	128	92	88	792
Hand	804	155	127	145	85	1,316
Leg	232	112	110	111	114	679
Foot	117	36	28	43	34	258
General and Unspecified	8	2	4	1	3	18
Total	1,950	546	620	529	502	4,147

NOTE: Consideration should be given to the qualifications and definitions on pages 1 and 2.
Accident factor is described in further detail in Table 26.

TABLE 21

VICTORIA - FEMALES : ACCIDENT FACTOR BY
SITE OF INJURY, 1964-65

Accident Factor	Site of Injury									Total
	Head	Eye	Neck (Incl. Verte- bral Column)	Trunk	Arm	Hand	Leg	Foot	Gen- eral and Unspe- cified	
Machinery	13	10	4	29	104	576	22	14	..	772
Vehicles	9	..	4	9	13	14	16	3	..	68
Electricity, Explosions, Hot Objects	6	..	..	11	47	46	14	12	9	145
Harmful Substances	1	5	..	..	..	12	1	..	5	24
Falling, Slipping Striking Against or Stepping On	66	..	38	193	217	43	433	57	1	1,048
Handling Objects	23	..	1	18	72	52	97	43	..	306
Handtools	23	15	62	440	276	336	62	112	..	1,326
Other and Unspecified	1	1	2	5	38	186	3	7	..	243
	12	13	23	47	25	51	31	10	3	215
Total	154	44	134	752	792	1,316	679	258	18	4,147

TABLE 22

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF
ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF INJURY,
1962-63 TO 1964-65

Type of Injury	1962- 63	1963- 64	1964- 65
Contusions, Abrasions, Lacerations, Foreign Bodies, &c.	1,735	1,932	1,834
Burns and Scalds	173	214	176
Bone Fractures	413	389	400
Dislocations	79	124	102
Sprains and Strains	1,276	1,497	1,481
Amputations	24	23	23
Concussion	33	40	55
Internal Injury	8	4	3
Effects of Poisons	5	4	8
Effects of Electricity	7	4	8
Other and Unspecified	49	77	57
Total	3,802	4,308	4,147

TABLE 23

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF
ACCIDENTS BY AGE GROUP,
1962-63 TO 1964-65

Age Group (Years)	1962- 63	1963- 64	1964- 65
Under 20	427	529	487
20 - 29	805	943	938
30 - 39	1,013	1,087	1,041
40 - 49	957	1,053	1,056
50 - 59	472	582	521
60 and over	128	114	104
Total	3,802	4,308	4,147

TABLE 24

VICTORIA - FEMALES : TYPE OF INJURY BY
INDUSTRY GROUP, 1964-65

Type of Injury	Industry Group					Total
	Manu- fact- uring	Commerce	Community Services, &c.	Amuse- ments, Personal Services, &c.	Other, Incl. Govt. and Semi-Govt.	
Contusions, Abrasions, Lacerations, Foreign Bodies, &c.	976	262	196	204	196	1,834
Burns and Scalds	54	10	39	55	18	176
Bone Fractures	176	47	59	58	60	400
Dislocations	28	12	29	14	19	102
Sprains and Strains	659	190	272	185	175	1,481
Amputations	16	4	..	2	1	23
Concussion	10	15	8	3	19	55
Internal Injury	1	..	2	..	..	3
Effects of Poisons	3	..	2	..	3	8
Effects of Electricity	5	..	2	1	..	8
Other and Unspecified	22	6	11	7	11	57
Total	1,950	546	620	529	502	4,147

NOTE: Consideration should be given to the qualifications and definitions on pages 1 and 2.

Accident factor is described in further detail in Table 26.

VICTORIA - FEMALES : AGE GROUP BY ACCIDENT
FACTOR, 1964-65

Age Group (Years)	Accident Factor									
	Mach- inery	Vehi- cles	Elec- tricity, Explo- sions, Hot Objects	Harm- ful Sub- stances	Falling, Slipping	Striking Against, or Stepping On	Hand- ling Objects	Hand- tools	Unspe- cified	Total
Under 20	115	8	18	1	116	34	129	38	28	487
20 - 29	219	12	32	4	171	64	326	66	44	938
30 - 39	199	25	28	7	221	83	377	49	52	1,041
40 - 49	173	13	36	9	289	85	329	64	58	1,056
50 - 59	62	9	25	1	191	33	145	25	30	521
60 & over	4	1	6	2	60	7	20	1	3	104
Total	772	68	145	24	1,048	306	1,326	243	215	4,147

TABLE 26

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY
BY ACCIDENT FACTOR, 1964-65

Accident Factor	No.	Period of Incapacity Weeks	Accident Factor	No.	Period of Incapacity Weeks
<u>MACHINERY</u>			<u>VEHICLES</u>		
Power Transmission			Motor Vehicles	40	139.0
Apparatus			Trams	17	55.0
Ropes, Belts	1	8.0	Bicycles	4	15.2
Hoisting, Hauling			Forklift Trucks	3	10.6
Lifting Appliances	2	3.2	Tractors	1	6.6
Lifts	5	12.4	Other Vehicles	3	5.8
Conveyors	17	66.6	Total Vehicles	68	232.2
Industrial Machines			<u>ELECTRICITY, EXPLOSIONS,</u>		
Abrasive Grinding,			<u>HOT OBJECTS</u>		
Polishing	13	53.8	Portable Machines,		
Agitators and Mixers	10	53.8	Appliances	3	7.0
Casting, Welding	15	37.6	Electric Supply Wiring	5	9.0
Drilling, Turning (Metal)	37	122.8	Other Electricity	4	7.0
Drilling, Turning (Other)	5	10.8	Gas	3	5.4
Milling	8	18.8	Other Explosions	1	2.0
Planers (Wood)	3	6.6	Flames & Hot Objects	129	314.8
Planers (Other)	1	5.8	Total Electricity,		
Packing	33	133.4	Explosions, Hot Objects	145	345.2
Opening, Carding	4	63.8	<u>HARMFUL SUBSTANCES</u>		
Presses (Metal)	104	514.6	Solids, Powders	3	4.2
Presses (Printing)	6	21.0	Gas and Aerosols	7	17.4
Presses (Other)	110	386.8	Liquids	14	36.6
Rolls	26	274.4	Total Harmful Substances	24	58.2
Saws (Wood)	2	6.4	<u>FALLING, SLIPPING</u>		
Saws (Other)	3	6.6	On or from -		
Sewing	82	185.8	Ladders	27	93.8
Shears (Metal)	8	21.4	Roofs	1	18.4
Shears (Paper)	5	49.6	Stairs, Steps	187	780.0
Shears (Other)	20	46.0	Other Elevations	61	567.2
Rotary Cutters	18	44.6	Into Excavations	6	21.8
Cutters (Food)	87	247.8	Jumping, Stepping Down	29	81.8
Spinning, Weaving,			Slipping, etc. Same		
Knitting	67	157.0	Level	737	3,848.6
Centrifuges	1	3.2			
Other Industrial	71	263.0			
Milking and Shearing					
Machines	1	2.4			
Other Machinery	7	31.0			
Total Machinery	772	2,859.0	Total Falling, Slipping	1,048	5,411.6

NOTE: Consideration should be given to the qualifications and definitions on pages 1 and 2.

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TABLE 26 - continued

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY
BY ACCIDENT FACTOR, 1964-65

Accident Factor	No.	Period of Incapacity	Accident Factor	No.	Period of Incapacity
		Weeks			Weeks
<u>STRIKING AGAINST OR</u> <u>STEPPING ON</u>			<u>HANDTOOLS - cont.</u>		
Stepping on Sharp Objects	18	47.2	Pliers, Pincers	9	18.6
Striking Against	288	1,043.2	Saws	1	1.2
Total Striking Against or Stepping On	306	1,090.4	Scissors, Shears	30	62.4
<u>HANDLING OBJECTS</u>			Screwdrivers	8	13.4
Strain in Handling	771	3,478.8	Shovels, Spades	1	21.2
Struck by, etc.			Spanners	4	13.4
Timber	5	15.0	Other Hand Operated	26	61.2
Drums and Barrels	7	84.8	<u>Power Operated</u>		
Boxes and Crates	43	127.8	Abrasive Grinding,		
Earth, Rock, Sand	1	4.2	Polishing	5	37.8
Hand Trucks, etc.	28	93.4	Drills	1	1.6
Other Objects	219	599.6	Knives	7	13.4
Handling Sharp Objects			Riveters	1	1.2
Metal	73	180.0	Soldering Irons	4	10.4
Glass	46	94.0	Explosive Powered		
Other Sharp Objects	125	259.8	Tools	1	2.8
Handling, Other	8	9.6	Other Power Operated	7	25.0
Total Handling Objects	1,326	4,947.0	Total Handtools	243	586.2
<u>HANDTOOLS</u>			<u>OTHER</u>		
<u>Hand Operated</u>			Animals and Insects	24	138.2
Axes	2	11.0	Heat	1	6.6
Can Openers	3	6.8	Pressure Vessels,		
Hammers	9	46.2	etc., Bursting	6	17.2
Knives	106	210.0	Doors, Windows	53	112.4
Needles	18	28.6	Flying Particles,		
			Dust	10	21.6
			Other and Unspecified	121	510.0
			Total Other	215	806.0
			GRAND TOTAL	4,147	16,335.8

NOTE: Consideration should be given to the qualifications and definitions on pages 1 and 2.

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TABLE 27

VICTORIA - FEMALES : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY PERIOD OF INCAPACITY, 1964-65

Period of Incapacity	Number of Accidents	Time Lost (Weeks)
1 week, but less than 2 weeks	1,991	2,547
2 weeks, " " " 4 "	1,217	3,148
4 " " " 6 "	369	1,738
6 " " " 8 "	181	1,220
8 " " " 13 "	202	1,939
13 " " " 26 "	115	2,038
26 " " " 52 "	49	1,764
52 weeks and more	23	1,942
Total	4,147	16,336

The following tables show details of claims arising on journey to or from employment, during a recess period, or from certain disease cases. It should be noted that cases where the disease has been precipitated or aggravated by an industrial accident do not appear in this appendix but are included in tables appearing in Parts 1 and 2.

TABLE 28

VICTORIA - MALES: JOURNEY, RECESS AND DISEASE CASES :
NUMBER, COST OF CLAIMS AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Year	Type of Case	Fatal		Non-Fatal		
		Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Period of Incapacity (Weeks)
1962-63	Journey and Recess -					
	Accidents	28	94,896	1,687	369,348	8,890
	Diseases	58	241,726	88	79,696	2,109
	Other Diseases	289	1,261,794	2,278	1,012,942	20,190
1963-64	Journey and Recess -					
	Accidents	20	69,038	1,785	380,122	9,068
	Diseases	53	229,258	117	97,448	1,736
	Other Diseases	290	1,288,692	2,661	1,160,372	21,010
1964-65	Journey and Recess -					
	Accidents	24	101,902	1,639	390,878	8,674
	Diseases	50	214,732	111	63,276	1,062
	Other Diseases	387	1,696,918	2,448	1,345,598	23,264

TABLE 29

VICTORIA - MALES : DISEASES : NUMBER, COST OF CLAIMS,
AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY, 1964-65

Disease	Fatal		Non-Fatal		
	Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Period of Incapacity (Weeks)
Infective and Parasitic Diseases	..	..	61	9,256	269.6
Neoplasms	6	25,658	15	7,604	128.6
Allergic, Endocrine System, Metabolic and Nutritional Diseases	4	17,624	17	15,080	117.2
Mental Disorders	..	..	34	14,880	274.2
Cerebral Haemorrhage, etc.	35	152,574	81	205,714	3,191.6
Diseases of Eye	..	..	29	16,618	156.6
Diseases of Ear	..	..	22	18,902	119.8
Other Diseases of Nervous System	2	8,516	68	43,428	761.4
Arteriosclerotic and Degenerative Heart Disease	274	1,210,576	411	452,894	7,825.8
Other Diseases of Heart	77	327,226	128	150,062	2,463.4
Other Diseases of Circulatory System	11	46,960	65	27,538	449.0
Pneumonia	1	276	38	13,128	349.6
Other Respiratory Diseases	7	31,488	90	72,686	1,333.4
Diseases of Digestive System	11	46,626	385	115,692	1,995.6
Diseases of Genito-Urinary System	..	..	17	7,370	115.8
Cellulitis	..	..	18	2,066	58.2
Dermatitis	..	..	561	72,176	1,767.2
Other Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissue	..	..	67	6,400	180.8
Displacement of Intervertebral Disc	..	..	25	33,668	467.8
Synovitis, Bursitis	..	..	171	27,828	658.4
Other Diseases of Bones and Organs of Movement	..	..	102	58,766	940.8
Chronic Poisoning and Other Reactions	..	..	30	4,970	77.4
Other Diseases, incl. Symptoms and Ill-defined Conditions	9	44,126	124	32,148	624.0
Total	437	1,911,650	2,559	1,408,874	24,326.2

TABLE 30

VICTORIA - FEMALES : JOURNEY, RECESS AND DISEASE CASES :
NUMBER, COST OF CLAIMS, AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY, 1962-63 TO 1964-65

Year	Type of Case	Fatal		Non-Fatal		
		Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Period of Incapacity (Weeks)
1962-63	Journey and Recess -					
	Accidents	4	17,288	800	136,572	3,935
	Diseases	2	378	12	3,672	122
	Other Diseases	7	12,264	781	163,848	4,806
1963-64	Journey and Recess -					
	Accidents	2	1,460	1,025	154,308	4,656
	Diseases	2	4,662	17	8,012	95
	Other Diseases	5	6,540	1,106	212,478	5,793
1964-65	Journey and Recess -					
	Accidents	4	7,290	891	133,842	4,059
	Diseases	1	1,076	18	13,096	280
	Other Diseases	6	13,462	997	183,232	4,999

TABLE 31

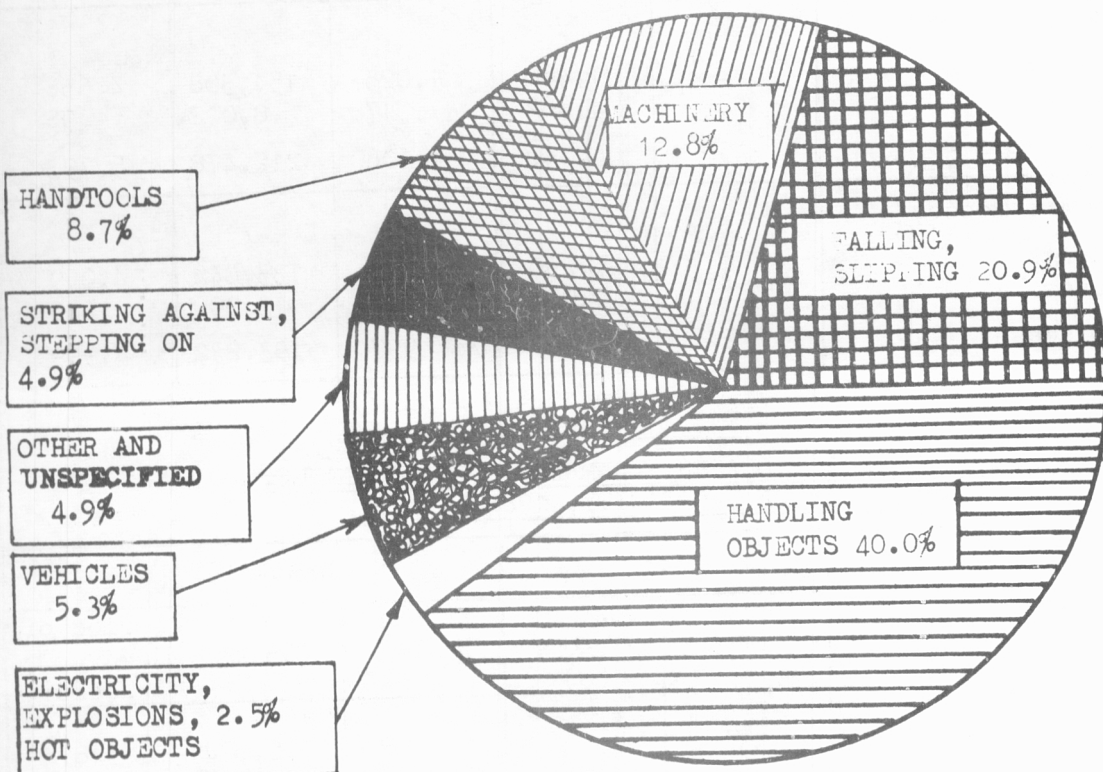
VICTORIA - FEMALES : DISEASES : NUMBER, COST OF CLAIMS,
AND PERIOD OF INCAPACITY, 1964-65

Disease	Fatal		Non-Fatal		
	Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Number	Cost of Claims (\$)	Period of Incapacity (Weeks)
Infective and Parasitic Diseases	108	15,874	548.4
Neoplasms	2	336	7.0
Allergic, Endocrine System, Metabolic and Nutritional Diseases	8	2,660	50.8
Mental Disorders	13	1,048	34.8
Cerebral Haemorrhage, etc.	4	12,018	5	3,954	143.2
Diseases of Eye	7	490	12.8
Diseases of Ear	2	1,296	3.4
Other Diseases of Nervous System	23	10,990	167.4
Arteriosclerotic and Degenerative Heart Disease	3	2,520	22	23,070	488.0
Other Diseases of Heart	13	12,666	285.8
Other Diseases of Circulatory System	8	976	36.0
Pneumonia	4	726	18.6
Other Respiratory Diseases	28	4,318	85.2
Diseases of Digestive System	155	23,120	581.4
Diseases of Genito-Urinary System	6	2,150	63.6
Cellulitis	27	1,864	68.2
Dermatitis	205	17,004	657.6
Other Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissue	89	3,636	162.6
Displacement of Intervertebral Disc	4	1,986	71.4
Synovitis, Bursitis	221	41,994	1,151.2
Other Diseases of Bones and Organs of Movement	40	22,506	486.8
Chronic Poisoning and Other Reactions	7	718	29.0
Other Diseases, incl. Symptoms and Ill-defined Conditions	18	2,946	125.8
Total	7	14,538	1,015	196,328	5,279.0

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